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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PINT, VS

SUBJECT: GVN ARREST OF ALLEGED PLOTTERS

DEPT PASS IMMEDIATE IBS/NCA

1. GVN MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR DISTRIBUTED FOLLOWING
ANNOUNCEMENT MAR 27, 1975.

2. TEXT: THE MINISTRY OF THE INTERIOR ANNOUNCES: TAKING
ADVANTAGE OF THE OPPORTUNITY ARISING FROM THE ALL OUT COMMUNIST
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ATTACK NATIONWIDE ON THE REPUBLIC OF VIETNAM THROUGHOUT THE FOUR

MILITARY REGIONS, A NUMBER OF SHORTSIGHTED PERSONS, USING THE GRAVE SITUATION OF THE NATION, HAVE PLOTTED TO OVERTHROW THE CURRENT CONSTITUTIONAL REGIME IN FURTHERANCE OF THEIR PERSONAL AMBITIONS.

3. THE PLOTTERS MENTIONED ABOVE HAVE BEEN TAKEN INTO CUSTODY BY THE SECURITY SERVICE AND THE INVESTIGATION IS CONTINUING.
END TEXT.

4. DEPARTMENT SHOULD NOTE DISCREPANCY BETWEEN MOI ANNOUNCEMENT AND AP STORY HEADLINED "COUP ATTEMPT". MOI ANNOUNCEMENT SPEAKS OF "PLOT" BUT NOT "COUP".

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